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April 5, 2010

In Reply: Finance Section

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Ron Woolf Controller Golden Valley Electric Association, Inc. P.O. Box 71249 Fairbanks, AK 99707-1249

Re: Extension Request for Filing of GVEA's Simplified Rate Filing for Test Year Ending

December 31, 2009

Dear Mr. Woolf:

On March 31, 2010, we received a request from Golden Valley Electric Association, Inc. (GVEA) for GVEA to be allowed to delay submission of its Simplified Rate Filing (SRF) for the Test Year Ending December 2009 until April 9, 2010. GVEA asserted that it cannot meet the scheduled due date of March 31, 2010, to file its SRF because its staff is heavily impacted getting other year end reports completed. Additionally, GVEA stated that preliminary analysis of data to be included in the SRF indicates that GVEA will not be requesting a change in rates.

We remind GVEA that the filing of its semi-annual SRF within 90 days after the end of the semi-annual accounting period is required by regulation (3 AAC 48.710).

Based on the above information, we find good cause to grant an extension to GVEA to file their SRF for the Test Year Ending December 31, 2009. Therefore, we grant GVEA's request to extend the filing period for their SRF for the test year ending December 31, 2009, from March 31, 2010, to April 9, 2010.

GVEA's attention in this matter is appreciated. If GVEA has any questions regarding the contents of this Letter Order, please contact Tyler Clark, Utility Financial Analyst, at (907) 263-2103.

BY DIRECTION OF THE COMMISSION

Sincerely,

REGULATORY COMMISSION OF ALASKA

Robert M. Pickett

Chairman

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